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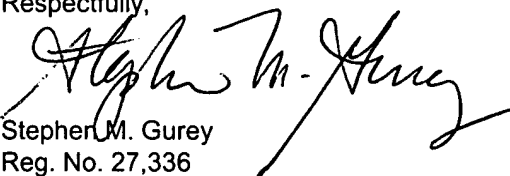
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Enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action dated March 18, 2004, please consider the following remarks on the above-identified patent application as follows.

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**Introductory Comments:**

In the Office Action, claims 1-18 were rejected as being anticipated by U.S. 6,243,811 to Patel ("Patel").